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Chairman Kristine L. Svinicki U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Mail Stop O-16G4 Washington, DC 20555-0001

Dear Chairman Svinicki:

I am writing to respectfully request that the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) host a public meeting in San Luis Obispo, CA to help inform its work on identifying best practices for the establishment and operation of local community advisory boards—pursuant to the Nuclear Energy Innovation and Modernization Act (PL 115-439).

While not required by current NRC regulations, community engagement or advisory boards serve as an important tool to inform and seek input from the local community regarding the impacts of the nuclear power plant decommissioning process. Currently, the two nuclear power plant reactors at Diablo Canyon are not slated to be decommissioned until 2024 and 2025, respectively.

It is important that communities, like San Luis Obispo, have their voices heard throughout this process.

Thank you for taking the time to consider my request. I look forward to hearing back from you on this important issue. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

SALUD CARBAJAL Member of Congress